

POETRY.

MORNING.

"Twas morn—and from the East the Sun had shed His glowing beams, and ting'd the mountains red: The dancing mists in swift succession flew, Chas'd by the early breeze that softly blew, Along the swelling hills—the yellow beam, Smil'd on the forest, sparkler on the stream, And gaily laughing at the conquer'd night, Display'd on every spire the grateful light, The perky drops, that bent the blooming thorn, Started from slumber with the opening morn, And from the green leaves dropping, spread around Delightful fragrance on the daisied ground; While soft, responsive to the woodman's stroke The clear-ton'd echoes of the hills awoke— The cheerful lark, high mounting, hail'd the day, And carol'd in mid air his matin lay; Seeking his scatter'd flocks, and whistling loud, The sturdy shepherd call'd his bleating crowd: With frequent pause he stopp'd—and gazing high, Admird the orient beauties of the sky; And, steadfast viewing, breath'd the silent pray'— When all his toils were past 't inhabit there."

FOR THE REGISTER.

Observations respecting the Comets of the Solar System.

Having in a previous communication endeavored to explain some of the properties of that active matter which gives motion and law to the creation. In examining these properties and laws, we cannot but be astonished with the irregularity of the Comets; for they evidently appear to violate all law and order, both in their motion as to velocity, and the direction of that velocity. The law of the system, as discovered by Kepler and demonstrated by Sir Isaac Newton, as to distance and periodical revolutions "is that the squares of their periods is universally as the cubes of their distance." Therefore, from the direction and different direction of their courses, from the accelerated velocity with which they appear to move. If these bodies are indeed planets, they must be under some new and contradictory agent in nature to that which revolves the other planets. Those remarks, with the evident failure of ancient predictions respecting their return, to me is conclusive, though we have some other collateral testimony that these bodies are perishable, from the density of their tails, and from the effect which the appearance of those bodies uniformly has had upon the transmissible matter of the earth's atmosphere. Having made this opposition to ancient and worthy philosophers, & their real worth, gives me greater confidence that those bodies are perishable, and by no means planets. For the true discovery of a planetary law, gives us great reason to doubt about the nature of comets—but perhaps it may be easier to destroy than to build up. My conjecture is, that the Comets are no other than larger meteors—for, if the solar system is connected with a great centre, by the same contrivance which attaches the planets to the sun, the system is surrounded by a dense region; from which region far beyond the most remote planet, we conjecture, these comets are generated, & visit the atmosphere of the system as the shooting stars visit the atmosphere of the earth; both are similar in appearance, &c. and perhaps are designed to answer the same ends in creation, to replenish the system with more transmissible matter, which is indurated by heat and by the animal and vegetable organization. This dense region investing the solar system, has likely a zone of greater cohesion and attraction, which may have also effect in elevating and depressing the planets in their orbits. This elevation in all the planets happen nearly at the same points in the heavens. Cancer, & Capricorn, perhaps Mars, in neighboring signs, and high up in the same Gemini and Sagittarius. As if the common zone of the system passed through those points—the duration and depression produces the seasons of the year.

An American Citizen.

RAGS.

COUNTRY MERCHANTS and others who have been in the habit of collecting Rags for the Raleigh Paper Mill, are requested to send in what may be on hand, as the Mill is in full operation and will soon need them. J. GALES.

FIFTY DOLLARS REWARD.

AN AWAY from the subscriber, living in Franklin county, North Carolina, on the 15th of January, 1817, a Negro Man named W. W. B. about 26 or 27 years of age, between 5 and 6 feet high, rather yellow complexioned, appears to have some marks of shot about his nose, lips, neck and face, as he has been shot at several times. His fire belongs to Mr. Henry Bridges, formerly of the county, who stated with her about the 15th instant, to South Carolina, Georgia, or Tennessee. It is supposed he will attempt to show her. This is to caution all persons from buying or trading for said Negro. And all masters of vessels are forbidden having any thing to do with him at the penalty of the law. The above reward, and all reasonable charges will be paid to any person who will secure said negro, so that I get him. WM. FECKER, December 23, 1817.

N. B. Any person approving the above Negro, will inform me by letter, directed to Raleigh, N. C. If the above of the Telephone, S. Carolina, the Wagon, Northville, Tex and Reflection, Middlesex, will insert this advertisement six times, and forward their bills as of 20.

DR. RICHARD FENNER

HAVING removed to Raleigh, with a view of making it his permanent residence, respectfully acquaints the inhabitants of the Town and its Vicinity, that he has formed a Connection in the Practice of Physic with Dr. BURGESS.

Dr. Fenner and Burgess Will attend punctually to all applications made to them. Their Shop is on Fayetteville Street, next door below Mr. John Stuart's Store. Raleigh, Jan. 1.

50 CENTS REWARD.

FOR two small servant GIRLS, which were forcibly taken away from the subscribers living in the upper part of Burke county, N. Carolina. The oldest was named Sally Nelson, the youngest Betsy Nelson. They were taken by their mother, widow Mary Nelson. One was taken the 4th, the other the 5th of November, 1817. The above reward will be given for the delivery of both of them or 25 cents for either, but no trouble or expenses to be paid by the subscribers. EPHRAIM COCHRAN, JOHN COCHRAN, March 2, 1818 63 3w

For the benefit of THE WOUNDED SOLDIER.

THE following evidence will be required in all Militia cases, & in cases of the Regular Army, where the Discharge and Surgeon's Certificate have been lost or destroyed, or where they have never been originally granted, to enable the Secretary of War to grant Pensions, viz: In cases where the regular discharge and the surgeon's certificate for disability, cannot be had, the applicant for a pension, whether he has been a soldier of the regular army or a militiaman in the service of the United States, must produce the sworn certificate of his Captain, or other officer under whom he served, stating distinctly the time & place of his having been wounded, or otherwise disabled, and that the same wounds or disabilities arose while in the service of the United States, and in the line of his duty, with the affidavits of one or more surgeons, or physicians, whether of the army or citizens, accurately describing the wound, and stating the degree of disability to which the soldier may be entitled under it: these documents to be sworn to before a Judge of the United States Court, or some State Judge or Justice of the Peace, and if a State Judge or Justice of the Peace, then under the seal of the Clerk of the County in which such Judge or Justice may reside, and in the name of the paymaster who last paid the soldier as belonging to the service of the United States, to be in every instance furnished by the applicant, in order to determine the date of the commencement of his pension.

PROPOSALS

By JACOB GIBSON, JR. PRINTER, of the City of Washington. For Publishing, by Subscription, a new Edition of the "FEDERALIST." On the new Constitution & Proclamation of Neutrality, written in the Years 1788 and 1793, under the signatures of FARRINGTON and PACIFICUS; by Alexander Hamilton, James Madison, and John Jay, Esq's. TO WHICH WILL BE ADDED, The Constitution of the United States, And the different Amendments which have been made to it since its adoption, to the close of the year 1817.

THE merit of this Work must be known to every Politician and Statesman in the United States. Written by men of high standing, extensive learning, and acknowledged talents, and embracing subjects of the deepest political interest, it cannot but be valuable to every American who admires and loves the Government, under which it is his happy duty to live. To foreigners, the "Federalist" is equally important, as it enables them more perfectly to comprehend the nature and principles of the American Constitution, which is the wonder of the world, and will be the admiration of posterity. In addition to the importance of the matters discussed, the style in which the various numbers of the "Federalist" are written, is almost of itself a sufficient recommendation to obtain for it a place in every gentleman's library. From these considerations, and the present scarcity of the work, the publisher has been induced to undertake the publication of a new edition of this valuable production; & he proposes to discharge that undertaking, in a manner that he doubts not, will be entirely satisfactory to the public. Having been furnished with the names of the writers of the different numbers from a source which cannot be questioned, he will attach the author's name to each number, that the reader may know, without difficulty, by who it was written. It will be put to press about the middle of April next, and be ready for delivery in November following.

TERMS.

- 1. The work will be printed in one octavo volume, containing about 600 pages. 2. It will be printed on good price type, and on medium paper of superior quality, made expressly for the purpose. 3. It will be delivered to Subscribers at 50 per cent, in boards; or \$3 75 full bound in calf, payable on the delivery of the work. 4. If any Subscribers are displeased with the execution of the work, when completed, they shall be at liberty to withdraw their names. 5. Booksellers subscribing for 10 or more copies, will receive a liberal discount. 6. To Non-Subscribers the price will be \$5 50 in boards, and \$4 75 full bound. Washington City, Jan. 1. Subscriptions to the above Work will be received at the Store of J. GALES, Raleigh.

DIRECT TAX FOR 1815 & 1816.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscribers have received Lists of the Direct Tax of the United States, for 1815 and 1816, remaining due upon Property in the following Counties in the State of North Carolina, not owned, occupied, or superintended by some person residing within the Collection District in which it is situate; and that he is authorized to receive the said Taxes, with an addition of 10 per cent. thereon: Provided, such payment is made within one year after the day on which the Collector of the District where the property lies, had notified that the Tax had become due on the same.

Table with columns: Name, Date of Collector's notification, Tax amount. Includes Montgomery, Cumberland, Moore, Anson, Robeson, Richmond, Wake, Orange, Person, Edgecomb, Pitt, Hyde, Beaufort, Washington, Northampton, Martin, Halifax, Bertie, Jones, Wayne, Carteret, Johnston, Granville, Nash, Warren, Guilford, Rockingham, Stokes, Rowan, Chatham, Randolph, Cabarrus, Mecklenburg, Lincoln, Buncombe, Surry, Fredell, Ashe, Wilkes, Wake, Orange, Person.

THE IMPORTED HORSE, EAGLE: The finest Horse that ever was seen, and the speediest horse at New-Market, at even in England, since the day of Chlothe.

The above was bred in London, 1st Aug. 1810, by Thomas H. Moreland. EAGLE will stand the ensuing Season at the Red-House, in Caswell-Grove, N. C. The Season to commence the 1st day of February, and end the 1st day of July. On the following terms, viz: Fifty Dollars the Season; Twenty-five Dollars the single leap, to be paid at the time of service; and Seventy-five Dollars to insure a Mare to prove in foal; parting with the mare forfeits the insurance one dollar to the groom in every case, to be paid in hand.

Eagle is a fine bay, handsomely marked, upwards of 15 hands high, with large bone, and perfect as to beauty. Eagle's uncommon performances in England on the Turf, entitle him to rank higher than any other Horse on the continent. He received 85 guineas forfeit from Mr Wilson's b c Buzzard, 8 st 4 lbs each at the same place won 400 guineas; some year won 1800 guineas, beating Jockey, Kite, Rebel, &c. At York, Eagle won 400 guineas, beating Kite and Overton, 7 subscribers. At New-Market he won the Craven stake, 11 subscribers, beating Whiskey, Aston (last fruits of Poughboy) Sir Sidney, Robin Redbreast, &c. at the same place, he beat Chippenham, 8 st each, 200 guineas. He won the Craven Stakes at New-Market, beating Bumbo, Orange, Flower, Northampton, Flumbean, Rebel, Stratinspey. At New-Market, Eagle carrying 8 st 6 lbs, beat Mr F Neal's horse Bobsal, 8 st 1 lb, 200 guineas; at the same place, received forfeit 100 guineas from the Duke of Grafton's b f by Purcell. Again he beat the Duke of Grafton's b f and Pick Ne, carrying 2 st 10 lbs difference, 200 guineas. He also, carrying 8 st 7 lbs beat Mr Haworth's ch h Malta, 5 st 7 lbs, 500 guineas. He received the same year, 100 guineas forfeit from Lord Sackville's b h Dick Andrews. Finally, he carrying 9 st, beat Sir C Bunbury's Eleanor, the finest mare in England, carrying 7 st 9 lbs. Eagle at New-Market won 200 guineas, carrying 9 st 7 lbs, and beat Mr Watson's b c Bredanought, 5 st 8 lbs. At the same place received 100 guineas forfeit from ch h Malta. Again, he carrying 9 st 4 lbs, beat Mr Windham's ch m Marston 7 st 6 lbs, 200 guineas.

Eagle's Colts have been more successful than any other horse's in England, agreeable to the time of his standing there, which may be seen by reference to the Racing Calendar. The strictest attention will be paid to Mares sent to Eagle, but cannot be liable for unavoidable accidents.

LEWIS SHERLEY, January 19, 1818. N. B. The amount of Eagle's Races won in England, is \$9,330,373. 59 3m

BLANKS OF ALL KINDS, may be had at this Office.

NEUSE RIVER NAVIGATION.

THE President and Directors of the Neuse River Navigation Company, at the request of the Stockholders, have opened their Books for receiving subscriptions for an increase of the Capital Stock of said Company, and will keep them open for the space of 21 days from the date hereof, at the Bookstore of Joseph Gates in the City of Raleigh, under the care of Calvin Jones, Wm. Scott, Henry Potter and J. Gates. They will be opened in Newbern the 5th of March next, under the care of John Stanley, Wm. Shepard and Wm. Hollister, and remain open for 21 days. By order of the Board, J. GALES, Secretary. Raleigh, Feb. 26. 62 3w

Just Received, BY WILLIAM PECK—RALEIGH: A FRESH SUPPLY OF THOSE JUSTLY ESTEEMED & HIGHLY APPROVED MEDICINES.

PREPARED BY W. T. CONWAY, NO. 1, BUNSTREET, PEACE, BOSTON.—to wit: Dr. Relfe's Asthmatic Pills!

WHEN a cure for One Dollar, or at most two dollars, can be obtained for a cough, cold, asthma, difficulty of breathing, tightness of the chest, wheezing, pain in the side, spitting of blood, palpitation of the heart, the strained stomach, &c. must it not be a matter of surprise, that we see the ordinary daily swelled with deaths occasioned principally by cold? On an average, at least One hundred and Fifty Thousand Persons die annually of Consumption, originating principally from a cold, commencing with cough, then difficulty of breathing and pain in the chest, at length the lungs become affected, consumption ensues, and death closes the scene. Alas! too often does prejudice, by listening to idle, and unproven advice of others, prevent, thereby by preventing a trial of such Medicine as might afford relief, under the idea that no relief can be obtained. Scarce a cure occurs but may be referred by the timely application of these Pills: As a proof of which, the following interesting cases are submitted to public perusal!

A Lady of Camden, Me. (OAKES PERRY, Esq. witness) was considered in a confirmed and angry consumption, two of her sisters having died of the same complaint a short time previous; resigned as past relief, having been attended by the most eminent of the Faculty; on taking one box of these Pills, was restored to perfect health. It is now ten months since.

A Lady of Hampden, Me. was seriously afflicted with great difficulty of breathing, pain in the side, confined to her bed, deprived of sleep, great debility; when being considered as a confirmed consumption, and resigned as past relief by her physicians and friends; on taking two boxes of these Pills, was restored to perfect health.

The Pills are prepared and sold, whole sale, by the sole Proprietor, W. T. CONWAY, Chemist, No. 1, Bunstreet Place, Common-Square Boston, and retailed by special appointment by most Druggists, Book-sellers and Postmasters throughout the United States.—Price One Dollar.

None of the above are genuine unless signed by W. T. Conway. Pamphlets of many extraordinary cures may be had of the Agents, GENTS.

A large account to Physicians, Country Dealers, Me. Agents &c. Dec. 18.

SOLD AT J. Gales's Store, Raleigh, By appointment of the Proprietor,



Which are celebrated for the Cure of no diseases to which the Human Body is liable.

Prepared only by the sole Proprietor, T. W. BY OTT, M. D. Grandson of the late celebrated Dr. Robert son of Edborough.

Dr. Robertson's celebrated Stomachic Elixir of Health.

For the cure of Coughs, Colds, Consumption, Hooping-Cough, Asthma, Pains in the Breast, wind in the Stomach, Bowel complaints, &c. Price 1 dollar 50 cents.

Dr. Robertson's Vegetable Nervous Cordial, a Nature's Grand Restorative. Recommended for the cure of all Nervous complaints, attended with inward Weakness, depression of the spirits, Head-Ache, Tremor, Painsness, Hysteric Fits, Debility, the excessive use of Mercury, diseases peculiar to Females, &c. Price 1 dollar 50 cents.

Dr. Robertson's celebrated Gout and Rheumatic Drops. A safe and effectual cure for the Gout, Rheumatism, Lumbago, Stone and Gravel, swelling and weakness of the Joints, Sprains, Bruises, Pains in the Head & Face, Frosted Feet, &c. Price 2 dollars.

Dr. Robertson's Patent Stomachic Bitters. Celebrated for strengthening a weak Stomach, increasing the appetite, and a certain preventive and cure for the Fever & Ague, &c. Price 1 dollar.

Dr. Robertson's Infallible Worm Destroying Lozenges. Price 50 cents per package—large ditto, 1 dollar.

Dr. Byott's Anti-Bilious Pills. For the prevention and Cure of Bilious and Malignant Fevers. Price 25 cents per box, large ditto, 50 cents.

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Take Notice that each and all the above Genuine Medicines are signed with the signature of the sole Proprietor, T. W. BY OTT, M. D. Pamphlets containing certificates of Cures, &c. performed through the efficacy of the above Medicines, may be had gratis, by applying at J. Gales's Store.

BANK STOCK FOR SALE.

ON Monday the 20th of March next, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, we shall sell at Auction, for ready money, at the State Hotel in Raleigh, Fifty Shares of Stock in the State Bank of North Carolina. THOMAS LILE, HENRY FOTTEP, February 25, 1818.

A RUNAWAY.

ON the last of June, my mulatto man named LAURENS, runaway. He is about 23 years of age, about 5 feet 8 inches high, handsome well made man, with a new coat, one of his knees, and a very black head of hair. I have no doubt but that he will make for Petersburg, Virginia. To those who find him, I will give Fifty Dollars reward for his apprehension, so that I get him again. WM. FARROW, Sparta'sburgh county S. C. Dec. 1.

NEGROES FOR SALE.

THE Subscriber, living in Edgewood County, N. C. has four young Negro Women, with two to three young Children each, with two likely young Men, one of them a fine and to one of the Women, for sale upon good terms, for Cash. GEORGE BROWNING, February 14.

NOTICE.

I WISH to remove to the West, and will sell all my LANDS lying in Granville County, N. C. nine miles south of Oxford on the south side of Tar River, containing 1676 Acres with three or four hundred Acres of Flat Land on the River and Creek, equal to any in the County for the production of Corn, Wheat and Tobacco. The high Lands are well adapted to the culture of Cotton, Corn, &c. The improvements are valuable. There is open land enough for 18 or 20 hands. Four years credit given for a part of the purchase-money. LEWIS TAYLOR, Jr. Jan. 1, 1818.

THE DRAWING OF THE GREAT SURGICAL LOTTERY.

Second Class. Officially announced to take place in the month of April next, and to finish in 2 days drawing.

The Scheme, the most brilliant ever offered the public, contains, besides many important prizes of less denomination, One Prize of \$100,000 One 50,000 One 20,000 One 10,000

The lowest prize is 100 dollars. The prizes are subject to 15 per cent deduction only. Four thousand Tickets in the Scheme, and not two blanks to a prize. Present price of tickets \$100, & shared in proportion, (but will shortly advance to \$110) for sale at

ALLENS' LUCKY OFFICE.

Where was sold in the first Class of the above Lottery, Ticket No. 3420, to which, on New-Year's Day, was awarded the largest prize.

\$100,000!

Who sold Ticket No. 10,325, a prize of THIRTY THOUSAND DOLLARS. Orders from distant adventurers (post paid) enclosing cash or prize Tickets, will be duly attended to, and early information given to all adventurers of their success. Address S. & M. ALLEN & CO. 121 Market-Street, Baltimore. March 2.

HIGHFLYER.

That well known, high bred, elegant and celebrated Horse, WILL STAND the ensuing Season in Currituck County. For a knowledge of his Pedigree and Performance, the Public are referred to the annexed certificate of Wm. Haxall, Esq. of Petersburg, Va. whose high standing and attention to the breed of Horses, and of Stock of every kind, is too well & accurately known in this part of the world, to be entitled whatever he says or certifies, to the highest credit.

THE BAY HORSE HIGHFLYER.

That I have this day sold to J. D. Haxall, Esq. a full 15 hands 3 inches high, is as well bred a Horse as any in the world, as his Pedigree will show—He had both spotted and bottom, and when 4 years old won with reputation at New-Market, against the two best horses of the day: Mr. Johnson's Elephant and Mr. Wynn's Cup-Bearer.

PEDIGREE.

Highflyer, foaled in 1808, was got by Imported and celebrated Horse, Sir Harry, who was got by Sir Peter Tingle, out of the mare by Alfred, who was got by Matchless, out of the Mare mare dam of Conductor, sire of Trumpeter. Dam of Highflyer, a b mare Piousa, imported from England, she was bred by Christopher Wilson, Esq. foaled in 1803, got by Vordly (now bred to Wax by Potto's), the best son of Ledge, out of Comedy by Buzzard, grandam Piousa mated by Highflyer (the best son of old Sir Herod and sire of Sir Peter Tingle, was dam of Champion, Sophia, Miss Baskin, all capital runners) great grandam Captain Squirrel, great great grandam by Lord of Godolphin Arabian, (dam of Friddle, a dragon, Curiosity, Angerica, Chequers, a great great grandam by Bartley's Gelding, Honeywood's Arabian, dam of the True Blues. [Vide General Stud Book, pages 376, 351, 158.]

WM. HAXALL.

Petersburg, 12th Feb. 1818. HIGHFLYER is not excelled by any Horse in the United States in bone, blood, or speed. He will be let but to 50 Mares this Season, at 30 Dollars each, and 50 Cents to the Groom, payable the 1st of October next. Good pasturage can be had in that neighborhood. JOHN D. LEMMON, February 20, 1818.